

Appl. No.: 09/870,478
Amendment dated November 22, 2004
Reply to Office Action of July 1, 2004

REMARKS

This paper is presented in response to an interview with the Examiner conducted on November 22, 2004.

During the interview, Applicants' representative and the Examiner discussed the invention and the pending claims. The Examiner agreed that claim 8 is now in condition for allowance. No agreement was reached on the remaining claims.

This supplemental amendment cancels the claims not pending on claim 8 and adds claims relating to the recitations of claim 8.

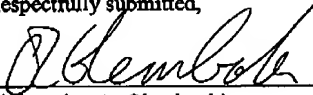
It is believed that no fee is required for this submission. If any fees are required or if an overpayment is made, the Commissioner is authorized to debit or credit our Deposit Account No. 19-0733, accordingly.

All rejections having been addressed, applicant respectfully submits that the instant application is in condition for allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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